



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Group Art Unit: 1639

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Application No.: 10/601,032

Examiner: Amber D. Steele

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Confirmation No.: 5177

Title: METHOD FOR IDENTIFYING INDIVIDUAL ACTIVE ENTITIES FROM COMPLEX MIXTURES

AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Mail Stop AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 29, 2007, Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider and enter the following amendments and remarks in the above-identified application. The present response is timely filed on or before September 29, 2007. No fees are believed due; however, if a further fee is due, charge deposit account 50-0573.

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